# 24/7 Tobacco-Free Schools

# **Directions for Using Calling Cards**

# Printing

The attached template is formatted to be printed on business cards (Avery 3612), front and back. You may edit and adjust the format as needed.

## Who should use

Anyone who has been asked to enforce the policy and been trained in the directions given below: staff, students, parent volunteers, administrators, or anyone deemed appropriate by the school or district.

#### When to use

- You can hand out the card whenever you see ANY person using ANY tobacco product at ANY school event.
- This includes on school property, in school vehicles, or at a school-sponsored event that occurs at any time, on or off school property.

# What to say

- Be friendly and smile!
- Use all of the following statements:
  - o "Hi! You may not be aware of our new 24/7 tobacco-free policy."
  - "We want to protect the health of everyone who uses our campus."
  - o "So here's a friendly reminder card with some resources on the back."

## What NOT to say

- "You can't use tobacco here."
- "Smokers or tobacco users are not allowed on our campus or at our schoolrelated events or activities."
- "Smoking is bad for us."
- Anything preachy or derogatory in nature.

#### How to end

"Thank you for helping us to be healthy at (name of your school)."

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